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Pastor Refuses to Perform Ceremony for Him.

WEDDEDTHRICEBEFORE

Bride-to-be Returns to Boarding House in Tears.

Tobacco King Fails to Appear at Parsonage After Rev. Dr. MacLeod Hears of His Past Adventures in Matrimony-Neighbors Say Couple Left House Last Night-Whereabouts Unknown to Them.

Rev. Dr. Donald MacLeod's aversion to officiating at weddings where one of the contracting persons is a divorcee upset the matrimonial dreams of Brodie L. Duke, sixty-two years old, tobacco king, and three times married, when he sought to make Miss Mylanta Ros- Accident on Forest Glen Line chelle, of 1828 G street northwest, twenty-six years old, his bride yes-

4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and a license was obtained in the morning. Dr. MacLeod, who is pastor Young Physician with Broken of First Presbyterian Church, refused emphatically to unite the couple when he learned of Duke's former weddings.

RETURNS IN TEARS. The bride-to-be dissolved into tears and returned to her boarding house, to be comforted by Mrs. Mary Horsley, the landlady, who had chaperoned the pretty little Carolinian during Duke's tempestu-

ous courtship of six months. Duke, who is stopping at the Ebbitt House, had not returned to his rooms at 1 o'clock this morning, according to the

hotel clerks. His baggage had not been taken away. The rest of the adventures of the day are wrapped in mystery. There were half avenue.

night.
Miss Roschelle and Duke are both from Durham, N. C. She came to Washington six months ago, and Duke is said to have visited her boarding house, on G street, repeatedly since that time. The girl has been studying dressmaking and milliners

Left in Taxicab.

She took her meals at another boarding

that Miss Roschelle knew nothing of Duke's marriage intentions, and had not dreamed of joining him in wedlock. She is rather pretty and wears decided

ly nice clothes. Duke looks every day of last night, according to the story of the neighbors, the girl wore a neat green walking suit with a big black hat The last, and the third, time that Duke

ventured upon the sea of matrimony was five years ago, when Mrs. Alice Webb, of New York City, claimed him as husband. sanitarium on Long Island upon the complaint of Mrs. Webb. The entire Duke family came to his rescue on that occasion, secured his release and eventually an annulment of the marriage that was supposed to have taken place between him and Mrs. Webb.

Three days ago he came to the house according to several romantic neighbors who kept their eye on things.

Yesterday morning Mr. Duke and a whose identity could not be learned appeared at the marriage license office at City Hall shortly after 9 o'clock The tobacco king bashfully admitted he wanted a license

The filling out of the marriage license proceeded smoothly enough until the clerk asked Mr. Duke if he had ever been married before. Mr. Duke, for the life of him, could not see what that

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SHOT STOPS ARREST.

Belgian Embezzler Ends Life in

New York, June 10 .- Felicien Buisset, a young Belgian, said to be wanted in Brussels for the embezzlement of 500,000 francs, power to bring about the election of a shot himself at the Hotel Brevoort today when he was placed under arrest. He was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital. It is thought that he will die.

New York.

The Belgian consul notified the detect ive bureau to-day that Buisset was wanted and detectives were sent to look for

At the Brevoort they learned that Buisset was there. Word was sent to the young man's room that he was wanted on the long-distance telephone, and when he came to the booth he was placed under arrest. He had come from his room in his shirt sleeves. After showing surprise at the presence of the detectives, he asked permission to go back for his

Edward Armstrong, who had made the arrest, went with Buisset. Half way up Armstrong asked Buisset his age. "Twenty-three!" replied Buisset, and before the detective had time to inter-fere Buisset drew a revolver and shot

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WEATHER FORECAST.

For the District of Columbia and Maryland-Showers to-day; to-morrow, partly cloudy, with rising temperature; moderate east and northeast winds.

HERALD NEWS SUMMARY.

1-No Wedding Bells for Duke.

Car Turns Over, Hurting Three. G. W. U. to Issue Bonds. Heike Is Convicted. Plan to Fight Food Trust. American Woman Murder Victim. 2-New Dean of Law School.

Sells His Bank Stock. 3-Telegraph Company Faces Fine. Beveridge on Tariff Board. Rate Bill Agreement Near, Alaskan an "Undesirable."

-District Gets Funds. Tariff Act Vindicated. Heyburn Wins Point. -In the World of Society. Prince Visits Annapolis.

6-Editorial. -Feminine Notes and Fashions. 8-Walker Shuts Out White Sox. 9-Amateur Sports and Races. 11-Commercial and Financial.

12-Long Aero Flight Planned.

Near Midnight.

The wedding was scheduled for MANY ESCAPE IN WRECK

Shoulder a Hero.

Carries Unconscious William Fidler to Hospital and Falls Exhausted. Other Injured Is Motorman Charles Traeger, and Many Were Shaken Up in the Accident-Railroad Is Blocked for Hours.

Three persons were injured and many barely escaped at 11:15 last night, when a north-bound Forest Glen car turned over at Butternut street and Georgia

lacerated, finger of right hand severed; condition serious from loss of blood. August Fenneman, Walter Reed Hospital corps, shoulder broken. Charles C. Traeger, motorman, scalp

younds; left shoulder dislocated. All are at the Walter Reed Hospital.

Young Physician a Hero.

Private August Fenneman, of the hoshouse next door, and fellow-boarders de- pital corps, proved himself a hero. clared emphatically that Duke and his Though suffering from a broken shoulder, bride-to-be left in a taxi last night direct- he picked up William Fidler, of Sligo, Md., who had been stunned and was in This was denied by Mrs, Horsley. The danger of bleeding to death. He carried motherly landlady asserted vehemently him nearly 400 yards to the hospital. Fenneman himself collapsed on the him in first recognizing the seriousness

Lieut, J. E. Bastion, of the staff of the Reed Hospital, was one of the first his sixty-two summers. When they left to learn of the accident. He immediately detailed two men to the scene to care for the injured, while he prepared to receive them in the accident ward. Conductor Lewis Robinson escaped with

a slight shaking up and went shortly afterward to his home. The car was running at high speed and That matrimonial entanglement led to track. It turned into the inbound track Mr. Duke's being confined in a private and blocked traffic both ways for hours, during which time several wrecking crews

FOREST GLEN CAR LINE GETS SEVERE CRITICISM

the Forest Glen electric line out Seventh with his suit case in his hand, but could street as being so careless as to render not get a room, so he went to the Ebbitt, the "lives of passengers unsafe" was reported yesterday by the District electric railway commission.

Since this particular complaint referred to territory outside the jurisdiction of the commission, it decided it could go no further in the matter than to refer inication to the Washington Rail-

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WILL GO ON STUMP.

Uncle Joe Expects to Figure in Next

Joseph G. Cannon has decided to make

ampaign. He made this known during the course VANISHES IN AUSTRIA. of a conversation with friends. Uncle Joe said he had not decided just what States he would visit, but that he would go to American Woman May Be Victim of a good many of them and do all in his

Republican House. "If I accepted all the invitations that have been extended to me." said Speaker least six months. I have not had time to make up my itinerary. I shall do so found. It is forced she has not mith an After his arrest, Wiley implicated a

after I return to Danville upon the adpurnment of Congress.' It is not believed here that the Speaker will invade any of the insurgent districts. Uncle Joe will defend the Payne-Aldrich

CHEERS FOR ROOSEVELT.

Little Rock, Ark., June 10.-The State mends President Taft for his studious fidelity under trying conditions to the Algun Rallway. platform pledges on which he

Blackistone'e Superb Floral Designs are moderately priced. 14th & H.

SHOT FROM AMBUSH.

Subscription of \$105,000 Will Tide Over Crisis.

FISCAL AGENTS NAMED

Trust Companies to Invest All Endowment Funds.

Trustees Satisfied Bond Issue Most Practicable Way of Maintaining Institution on Present Educational Basis-Plan Only Temporary and Expected to Lead to Readjustment of Finances-Business Men to Aid.

the real estate of the university will be issued immediately by George Washington University to tide the institution over the present financial crisis in its af-

Arrangements for the bond issue were made at a meeting of the trustees yesterday as the only means by which the university may, even temporarily, retain its present buildings and educational organi-In order that the alumni and friends of

the university may conveniently take up the bonds, the certificates will be in denominations of \$100 to \$500. At yesterday's meeting one of the trustees, whose name is withheld, subscribed for \$5,000 of

Fiscal Agents Named.

A resolution constituting the American Security and Trust Company, the National Savings and Trust Company, the Union Trust Company, and the Washington Loan and Trust Company fiscal agents of the university was adopted These companies are authorized to receive and invest all endowment funds ow belonging, or which may hereafter e given, to the university.

Trusmes of the university are satisfied hat the bond issue ordered yesterday is he most practicable way of maintaining the institution on its present educational basis. Reports from alumni and others interested in the welfare of the university give the trustees assurances that the bonds will be taken up without delay. As set forth in the statement issued by the trustees Thursday, the funding of the floating debt will leave the university subject to an interest charge of at east \$28,000 a year. The policy to be purfund that have been borrowed

Plan Only Temporary.

According to the trustees, the plan is the United States Circuit Court. only temporary, and will ultimately lead to the readjustment of finances and resoration of the endowment fund.

purpose of the trustees of restoring and twelve hours in which they deliberated. It is a shot in the direction of the food night from Atlantic City. steps of the hospital. His training aided of \$2,000,000 is desired and it is expected morning, and it was not until 10:08 this an opportunity to learn just how much of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mary Scott paign soon for the raising of that into the courtroom to deliver their ver-

Whether the university will reopen next fall with its present educational organization depends upon the amount of noney raised during the summer, accordng to Dr. McBain, assistant to Acting

President Stockton. If \$75,000 mainte- about ten minutes for Judge Martin to ance fund is pledged, every department appear. now in operation will be retained for a year at least, it is said. Promise Their Co-operation.

Business men of the city, to whom the niversity's plea for financial aid was directed, have promised their co-operation in the work. President William that body as soon as possible, and a special committee will be appointed to act in conjunction with a committee from

"Washington should have the fines and largest educational institution in the determine on the next step to take, ountry," said Mr. Gude last night. ongress fails to provide such an instiition, the people of the District should quipped for higher education and research, and deserves the unqualified support of the people and business interests of the city.

Gen. George H. Harries, president of he Board of Trade, pledged the aid of hat body in the work of George ington, and urged upon the people the necessity of continuing the university. "I believe in it, and believe that it should have the support of the people, an extensive speaking tour in the coming said Gen, Harries yesterday,

Mountain Accident.

Innsbruck, June 10 .- Miss Kerrison, an American, who was last heard of travel-'I would be on the move for at ing from Munich to Meran, has not arfound. It is feared she has met with an accident in the mountains.

AMERICANS CAN BE TAXED. Message from Washington Highly Pleasing to Russia.

St. Petersburg, June 10.-The instructions sent by the Washington government to its consul at marbin that Americans Republican convention here to-day unani- there must pay municipal taxes the same mously nominated for governor Andrew as Russians and Chinese have been re-I. Rowland, of Hot Springs County, son ceived very favorably here. The Novoe of a Confederate soldier. Tremendous Vremya, in an editorial to-morrow, will cheering greated resolutions halling the say that the action of the United States return to his native land of former Pres- in this matter may lead to a reconsideration of the Russian attitude regarding the

\$1.25 to Baltimore and Return Saturdays and Sundays via Pennsylva-nia Rallroad. Tickets good returning un-til Sunday night. All regular trains ex-cept the "Congressional Limited."

Lexington, Ky., June 10 .- Jules Robinon, a farm hand on the farm of George witnesses in the night-rider trials at Hopkinsville, was instantly killed last night in the vicinity of Otter Pond. There is no clew to the assassin. As soon as it became known that Robinson was to be summoned as a witness in the Hopkinsville trial he received a warning to leave the county. He refused to pay any at-

body was riddled with a charge of buckshot. He had been to a general store less than a mile from his home and was making the return trip when fired upon. Milton Oliver, a witness in the same case, was shot from ambush last week, but will recover.

TRAIN GOES INTO LAKE

Whole Crew Drowned on the Ca-

Superior, carrying with it the crew, tele-Second mortgage bonds for \$105,000 on graph poles, and switch. The drowned: Wheatley, engineer; Clarke, fireman; McMullin, brakeman.

The men lived at Shrieber, Ontario.

ment on Bendernagel.

VERDICT AFTER 12 HOURS WILL PAY FOR ITSELF

Nervous Wait.

Secretary of American Sugar Refining Company and Former Superintendent of Havemeyer Refinery Must Serve Prison Terms for Short Weighing Unless Their Lawyers Can Defeat Verdict.

sued in connection with this plan of ad- secretary and treasurer of the American the food trust, the army and navy will justing the financial difficulties of the Sugar Refining Company, and Ernest get better and cheaper eatables, and university involves the nonpayment for Gerbracht, formerly superintendent of Washington will have a cold storage mediate restoration to a productive in- Williamsburg, were found guilty to-night of \$1,500,000, if the bill to be introduced vestment of portions of the endowment of complicity in the sugar weighing by Representative A. C. Stanley, of Kenfrauds on the refinery docks in Williams- tucky, becomes a law. burg by a jury in the criminal branch of

The third defendant, James F. Bender-The appointment of four large banking subject of a long-fought disagreement other foods. concerns as fiscal agents indicates the among the jurors during the nearly increasing the endowment fund. A fund The jury went out at 10:25 o'clock this trust, for it will give the government

> dict. Jury Eagerly Awaited. There was a painful tension among the spectators as the men took their places in the jury box. There was a wait of

The foreman announced: "We find the defendant Heike guilty on the sixth count of the indictment. We find the defendant Gerbracht guilty as charged in the in- clare its adoption will save several times dictment. As to the defendant Bender-

nagel, we cannot agree."

Judge Martin at once thanked the jury warmly for the time and consideration Gude, of the Chamber of Commerce, says they had given the case. Without further that the question will be brought before formality the jurors took up their hats and coats and walked slowly out of the courtroom, amidst almost absolute siany further action be deferred until a proved. He says it requires only a little reasonable time, to enable counsel to calculating to demonstrate on paper that

Grants Arrest of Judgment. With the acquiescence of Henry L. be public spirited enough to see that Stimson, the government prosecutor, George Washington University continues Judge Martin said that there would be Stimson, the government prosecutor, in a letter to its author. exist and grow. The university is an arrest of judgment until 10 o'clock 24, Representative Stanley asked his opin-uipped for higher education and re-to-morrow morning, when he asked counel to have the defendants in court, and at that time the court would decide what would be done. The prisoners were allowed to go on the ball they have been

GRADUATE A BURGLAR

Man Injures Six in Attempt to Escape in Los Angeles. Los Angeles, June 10 .- "Bones" Wiley,

University of Pennsylvania graduate, and at one time a coach at Princeton, was arrested as a burglar to-night. He was caught red-handed, and fought and almost overcame half a dozen men. He is a son of George L. Wiley, president of the Standard Underground Cable Company, 50 Church street, New York, who lives expert street, Putterford N. T.

ences great difficulty in obtaining accurate information, as you must of necessity be dependent upon the expert statements of interested parties."

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ISLAND FOR UNCLE SAM.

Portuguese Asks His Government for Permission to Sell.

Lisbon, June 10 .- A newspaper here prints a story to the effect that Senor Abreu, owner of the island of Canto, near the Azores, has asked the Portuguese government for permission to sell the Island to the United States, which has offered him \$500,000 for it.

The matter will have to be discussed in the Portuguese Parliament before the sale can be sanctioned.

Round Trip Sundays, Bluemont, \$1.00. Southern Railway Special train 8:55 a. m.

FIND GIANT NUGGET.

Night Rider Witness Killed as Trial Miners to Get \$12,500 for Rock of

Leadville, Colo., June 10 .- A sixty-sixpound chunk of almost pure gold, worth foodman, and one of the most important \$12,500, was taken out of the famous Ibex mine here to-day by three leasers. Four weeks ago the same men took out a fifteen-pound nugget from a spot near the find of to-day.

RECOUNT IS HALTED.

He leaves a wife and two children. His Dalzell Gets Temporary Injunction as Votes Slip.

Pittsburg, June 10.-Representative John Dalzell to-day in the courts of Allegheny County personally began a fight for his political life. He is on the defensive with constantly increasing prospects of losing his seat. He rushed into court this morning while the county commis sioners were opening the ballot boxes to ecount the Thirtieth Congressional distric vote and secured a temporary injun bowlder on the main line near Port Cold-well, 200 miles east of Port Arthur, to-day. The entire train plunged into Lake ninety-seven votes, and that the figures of Dalzell's own people now gave him a lead of but 207 over Black, Representa-tive Dalzeli rushed for a train and reached Pittsburg this morning.

Cold Storage Plant.

Painful Tension in Court After Adoption of Measure Means Big Savings to Government.

> Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, Chief Chemist, Voices His Approval of Plan for Federal Icehouse in Washington that Will Supply Better Eatables for Army and Navy and Stop Enormous Profits of Meat Barons,

New York, June 10 .- Charles R. Heike, Uncle Sam will go into business against

The measure will be offered to Congres. before the end of this session. It pro vides that the Secretary of the Treasury nagel, who was formerly cashier of the buy a site here at once and build a mode Havemeyer and Elder refinery, was the storage house for meats, vegetables, and

Mr. Stanley's bill has a double purpose out taking the evidence of the cold storage men. It wal save thousands yearly by supplying food to the army and navy, various soldiers' homes, and other United

prisoners, their counsel, and the many States institutions at the lowest possible He has no theory to advance, however, Carries Big Appropriation. The bill carries with it an appropriation of a million and a half, or as much of it as is necessary. Mr. Stanley and others who will support the measure de-

that amount in a few years. "Of all the trusts the most odious and oppressive is a food trust," says Representative Stanley in his argument in

favor of the new venture, He goes on to point out that though the cold storage men have denied charges counsel for Heike, arose and asked that in indictments, they have practically been calculating to demonstrate on paper that the storage plants get too great a profit. Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the Bu

> Light on High Costs. "I am thoroughly convinced that much light could be thrown on the high cost more important question of wholesome

supplies. "It is certain that cold storage men are in the habit of keeping meat and other materials in their establishments long after they cease to be suitable or

"In regard to the value of a cold storage plant in Washington, in so far as Continued on Page 3, Column 2, PETS PART MAN AND WIFE.

Husband Refuses to Sleep with Cats,

Parrot, and Dog. Winsted, Conn., June 10 .- Six cats, a parrot, and a dog caused the separation of Valentine Yankofski and his wife. Judge William Case, of the Superior Court, to-day granted Yankofski a diorce on the ground of desertion. Yankofski testified that one night when

was hurting her.

over him from the head to foot.

ITALY TRUNK MURDER VICTIM PROVES BRIDE OF WASHINGTON MAN

Maimed Body from Lake Identified as that of Mrs. Porter Charlton.

POLICE HOLD FRIEND OF HUSBAND

nadian Pacific.

Winnipeg, June 10.—A Canadian Pacific boxes had been opened, all in Dalzell's Railway freight train crushed into a strongholds, and Dalzell had lost three Father of Young Man Now Sought in Strange Tragedy, Who May Also Be Victim.

> Milan, June 10.-The police are searching Lombardy and all Northern Italy for the murderer of an American woman, whose body, stuffed in a trunk, was found by fishermen yesterday in a little lake near the village of Moltrasio, a short distance from Como, and about thirty miles from this city.

The authorities of Cernobbia, the nearest city of consequence to the scene of the murder, have ascertained that she was Mrs. Porter Charlton, and that she had been living with her husband in the Villa Gerbracht Guilty; Disagree- Stanley's Bill Provides for a Moltrasio, which had been let to them by a Russian gentleman whom

The police discovered, after an examination of letters and papers found in the abandoned villa, that Mrs. Charlton, before her last marriage, was Mrs. Mary Scott Castle, of a well-known San Francisco family. Porter Charlton has disappeared, but Constantine Spolatoff, the Russian who rented the villa, was arrested this afternoon at Rog-

CHARLTON THINKS SON IS ALSO DEAD

Murder in Italy.

ome time of debts, and obviates the im- the Havemeyer and Elder refinery in plant built by the government at a cost Father Says Marriage Last March Was Surprise and that Both Went

> Neville Castle of San Francisco. Paul Charlton, law clerk of the Bureau of Insular Affairs of the War Department, arrived in Washington late last

Mr. Charlton was informed of the death in Lake Como, Italy. Mr. Charlton believes that his son, Por-

until more details have reached here. York, where he obtained employment in the foreign department of the National City Bank. He met Mrs. Mary Scott Castle, divorced wife of Neville Castle.

an attorney of San Francisco. She was about forty years old. Married Last March 12.

did not even know that Porter intended two prayer books were found in the to marry her until the ceremony had trunk Then John B. Stanchfield, who is of exorbitant prices brought against them taken place. They were married in Wilmington, Del., on March 12 last, and several days later sailed from New York for Genoa. between 1904 and 1907. In the trunk, too "Porter's health had been bad for some time, and his doctor had ordered him to twenty-three years.

reau of Chemistry, has approved the bill give up his work and go abroad. He had rented a villa near Lake Como, in the In a letter to Dr. Wiley, written May Italian Alps, where he intended to remain until next fall. He was in good spirits, and did not seem to be depressed. Only gested a government cold storage plant. last Monday I received a letter from him telling me of his plans. His letter was full of endearing references to his wife. I do not believe that he murdered her. light could be thrown on the high cost "From the few details available from of the west bank of Lake Como, and the of living," he wrote, "and upon the still the cable dispatches, I believe that Porter inhabitants of several villages in the foods, if the Federal government would his last letter, I am inclined to believe mation of value. erect in the city of Washington a cold that some one, possibly one of her former storage plant to be used for government admirers, who followed them to Italy, is at the bottom of the tragedy. I am afraid

that both she and Porter are dead." Divorced from Castle. his daughter-in-law prior to her marriage quarreled frequently. One morning, very safe for food. The government experi-ences great difficulty in obtaining accu-vorced wife of Neville Castle, of San vorced wife of Neville Castle, of San

> Porter Charlton, while playing with a volver at Western High School grounds wounded Vivian Bowdoin, sixteen years Young Bowdoin died before an ambulance could reach the school. The coroner held that the shooting was purely acci-

dental and young Charlton was not ar-

CLOAKMAKERS VOTE STRIKE.

Be Affected by Order. Boston, June 10 .- A general strike of

20,000 to 30,000 cloakmakers in New York The government objects to the sale on the ground that the island is too close to the coast to allow of occupation by a The cat began running back and forth Lady Garment Workers' International Union, which is in session here. The convention voted to leave the date and arrangements for the strike in the hands of a special committee. The convention voted to support financially a general walkout of cloakmakers in New

FISHERMEN FIND TRUNK.

It was early this morning when fishermen of Moltrasio cast lines and their hooks became fast in a large object which resisted stubbornly. After some effort, they managed to draw the object to the surface. They saw that it was a trunk. and with considerable difficulty they rowed to the shore, towing the trunk.

After beaching it, they ripped open the over with their knives, hoping to find Learns of Daughter-in-law's mething of value. What they saw was the body of a woman. The body had been wrapped in a sheet and jammed into the trunk so tightly that the head rested be-COUPLE ON THEIR HONEYMOON greatly frightened, and lost no time in unning to Moltrasio and acquainting the uthorities. The news was dispatched to

Cernobbia, and detectives of the criminal branch arrived swiftly. Beginning their investigation they found Abroad and Rented Villa Near that the trunk had been weighted down Lake Como-Wife Divorced from with stones, bowlders common to the beaches. The lake was comparatively shallow, and it was not remarkable that the fish hooks had caught and held in the

trunk. The white sheet which was wrapped around the body bore in one corner the initials, "G. L." Woman Elderly and Handsome, An examination of the body disclosed that the woman had been, perhaps,

the officials will begin an energetic cam- evening that the twelve weary men filed it costs to keep things wholesome with- Castle Charlton, whose body was found thirty-five years old and good looking. Her hair was dark brown, her eyes blue gray. She was about five feet six or ter Charlton, who was spending his seven inches tall, and of a handsome honeymoon in Italy, has also been killed. figure. The head and upper part of the body were covered with clotted blood. It was evident that she had been beaten "My son is about twenty years old," he to death with a club or an iron bar. The "and for some time has been suffer- back of her skull was crushed and her ing from tuberculosis. He left Washing- arms and shoulders displayed the marks ton in December, 1908, and went to New of savage abuse. It was the opinion of the police that the woman had been dead only a short time, and that the trunk

had been sunk in the lake within a few hours before it was dragged to the surface by the fishermen. A package of letters, some of which were signed "N. W. Castle," and which "I knew nothing of her antecedents and had been posted at San Jose, Cal., and They kept secret the contents of the letters, giving out only the informa-tion that "N. W. Castle" had been, it seemed, an intimate friend of the dead woman, and that the letters were dated

was the photograph of a man of perhaps Both Men Hunted, Pursuing their investigation, the police gathered up clews which led speedily to the hunt for Porter Charlton and the Russian who gave his name as Constantine Spolatoff. The proprietor of the Hotel Suisse, on Lake Como, the keeper of an apothecary shop at Cernobbia, boatmen is dead, too. From the cheerful tone of neighborhood were able to supply infor-

The innkeeper said that a couple who called themselves Mr. and Mrs. Porter arrived at the hotel several weeks ago. scription fitted that of the dead woman. Mr. Charlton said he knew nothing of He volunteered the opinion that the pair early, the proprietor was aroused by shricks. He found that the woman had hidden in a cupboard, hoping to escape her husband, but that the husband had found her and was dragging her to the then for the reputation of his hotel to

order them out. Move to Moltrasio The anothecary of Cernobbia said that Mr. and Mrs. Porter Charlton had met in his shop an affable Russian, and that, after some conversation, the Russian had offered them his villa at Moltrasio. Piecing the story together, the police learned that Mr. and Mrs. Porter Charlton, after being put out of the Hotel Suisse, took a boat and were conveyed to the Villa Mol-trasio. Three days before the body was found the villa was closed. Persons who went there found that the doors were locked and the windows fastened.

First of all, the police reached out by telegraph for the man known as Porter Continued on Page 2, Column 3.

Popular Excursion, Baltimore & Ohio R. R., June 12. \$1.00 to Harpers Ferry, Charleston, Summit Point, Stephenson, and Winches-ter and reurn. Special train from Union Station 8:00 a. m., returning same day.